ELECTRONICALLY FILED

	Attorney Docket	10030468-1
AMENDMENT & RESPONSE	Confirmation No.	6820
	First Named Inventor	Pablo Whaley
Address to:	Application Number	10/686,092
	Filing Date	October 14, 2003
Commissioner for Patents	Group Art Unit	1631
P.O. Box 1450	Examiner Name	Whaley, Pablo S.
Alexandria VA 22313-1450	Title:	
	"METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING SUITABLE	
	NUCLEIC ACID NORMALIZATION PROBE	
	SEQUENCES FOR USE IN NUCLEIC ACID	
	ARRAYS"	

Dear Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated August 3, 2007 for which a three month period for response was given, making this response due by Monday, November 5, 2007. Accordingly, this amendment is timely filed.

In view of the remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.